

The background features abstract, overlapping green geometric shapes in various shades of green, creating a modern, layered effect. The shapes are primarily triangular and polygonal, with some areas appearing more translucent than others.

Re-Entry

House Judiciary Committee - HB 205

March 21, 2016

Limited Driver's Licenses

Sections Addressed

- ▶ Sec.84: Court can terminate a revocation if the person has successfully completed the therapeutic court program, has not been convicted of DUI, and has successfully driven under the limited license for three years without being revoked
- ▶ Sec.85: Limited license available for person who has completed the therapeutic court program, has proof of insurance, and an installed ignition interlock device
- ▶ Sec.88: Court can reduce license revocation
- ▶ Sec.91: DMV must issue limited license if directed

Administrative License Revocations

Sections Addressed

- ▶ **Sec.83:** Requires the DMV to restore a person's driver's license if all charges have been dismissed or if the person has been acquitted of driving while under the influence.

Food Stamps

Sections Addressed

- ▶ Sec.148: Lifts the restriction on eligibility for food stamps for persons convicted of drug felonies, provided the individual is compliant with conditions of probation, has completed treatment, or is working toward rehabilitation.

Re-Entry Program

Sections Addressed

- ▶ Sec.139: Requires the Department of Corrections to establish a program to prepare a prisoner for re-entry that begins 90 days before the date of release. The program must include a re-entry plan and instruction on resources available in the community and obtaining state identification.

Community Work

Sections Addressed

- ▶ Sec.64: Limits the court to imposing community work service only for offenses where community work is a mandatory component of the penalty for the offense.
- ▶ Sec.65: Increases the value of an hour of community work from three dollars to the state's minimum wage. If the defendant is unable to pay the fine and the court offers the defendant the option of performing community work in lieu of a fine.
- ▶ Sec.66: Prevents the court from converting community work service into a sentence of imprisonment or offering the defendant the option of serving jail time in lieu of completing community work service.

Suspended Entry of Judgement

Sections Addressed

- Sec.67: Establishes a process for suspending an entry of judgment, whereby if a person pleads guilty to a crime, the court may, with the consent of the defense and prosecution, impose conditions of probation without imposing or entering a judgment of guilt. Upon successful completion of probation, the court shall discharge the person and dismiss the case after one year.